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HEALTH COMMITTEE

(KIDDERMINSTER CORPORATION.)

Chairman:

COUNCILLOR J. RAY.

The Mayor:

COUNCILLOR M. TOMKINSON.

Alderman H. HERRING. Councillor MORRHALL.
,, T. S. BUCKNALL. ,, HEPWORTH.
Councillor HORSFALL. ,, MEREDITH.
,, PENSOTTI.

Medical Officer of Health:

DAVID CORBET, M.R.C.S.

Public Analyst:

E. W. T. JONES, F.I.C.

Sanitary Inspector:

J. T. COWDEROY, C.S.I.

Annual Report

For the Year 1894.

TOWN HALL,

JANUARY 29TH, 1895.

GENTLEMEN,

The returns of Deaths (Form A) and of new cases of sickness (Form B) I herewith hand you duly completed. **Deaths**

During the year there have been 641 Births, or 25·64 in the thousand. Males 330. Females 311. **Births**

Below I have tabulated the Birth and Death Rates for the years 1886-7-8-9-90 1-2-3 and 94, which method I hope is easy for the purpose of comparison.

The total number of Deaths from all causes, diseases, and ages, which have been registered, is 391. The number in each sex being 199 males and 192 females. **Mortality**

51 Deaths have occurred in the Workhouse.
35 ,, ,, ,, Infirmary.

There have been 24 inquests held during the year. **Inquests**

The ages at which the Deaths have taken place during the year are as follows:—

Under 1 year	... 78
Between 1 and 5 years ...	... 32
,, 5 ,, 15 ,, ...	... 15
,, 15 ,, 25 ,, ...	... 20
,, 25 ,, 65 ,, ...	... 130
,, 65 and upwards ...	... 116

The Death Rate per thousand for the year is 15·64.

Compared with the last eight years, the Birth and Death Rates are as follows :—

Birth Rate.		*Death Rate.*	
1886	26·01	1886	17·6
1887	30·48	1887	16·92
1888	28·3	1888	17·05
1889	26·01	1889	16·8
1890	26·9	1890	17·23
1891	25·16	1891	18·13
1892	26·96	1892	19·12
1893	26·72	1893	17·24
1894	25·64	1894	15·64

Zymotic Diseases

The Deaths from the principal Zymotic Diseases during last year and the eight previous years have been as follows :—

DISEASES.	1886	1887	1888	1889	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894
Small Pox									
Scarlet Fever	2	1		1	1		1	3	1
Typhoid Fever	6		2	2	1	1	2	2	1
Measles	18	37	2	18	5	3	13	4	15
Diphtheria	4	5	3	2	1	12	4	5	4
Diarrhœa.....	29	16	19	24	15	15	14	24	4
Whooping Cough ...	5		5		6	5	15		
Totals.....	64	59	31	47	29	36	49	38	25

Scarlet Fever

Scarlet Fever.—Known Cases, 318; Deaths, 1.—This disease has continued with us from last year, and has been confined to no particular part of the borough.

I think I should be right in stating that scarlet fever has been general throughout the country during the past year.

Typhoid Fever

Typhoid Fever.—Known Cases, 8; Deaths, 1.—The majority of these cases were of a mild character, and in no instance have we been able to find any specific cause to give rise to the disease.

Diphtheria

Diphtheria.—Known Cases, 26; Deaths, 4.—There is still a falling off in this disease compared with last year, and the fact that only four deaths occurred out of 26 cases leads me to believe that most of the cases were of a mild type, or that some of them have not been true diphtheria.

The origin of this disease remains as mysterious as ever. In many of the houses where cases have occurred we have instituted a thorough investigation of all the surroundings, but failed to find any cause to account for the presence of the disease.

Small Pox.—Known Cases, 6; Deaths, 0.—We have had six cases of small pox, which have all been promptly removed to the Hospital, and as a consequence the disease did not become epidemic. **Small Pox**

During the year a hospital for small pox, with four beds, has been erected at a safe distance from the scarlet fever wards, which Hospital, I hope, will be sufficient for our purpose in protecting us from any epidemic of small pox.

Chicken Pox has been epidemic during the year, some of the cases being of a severe nature. **Chicken Pox**

Measles.—Known Cases, 878; Deaths, 15.—In this disease we have not been in a position to carry out isolation, but the following schools have been closed :— **Measles**

St. George's Infant School	...	From Sept.	19	to	Oct.	17
Worcester Cross School	...	,, Oct.	15	,,	Nov.	12
St. John's Infant School	...	,, ,,	12	,,	,,	12
St. John's Boys' School	...	,, Oct.	23	,,	Nov.	12
St. John's Girls' School	...	,, Oct	23	,,	Nov.	12
Coventry Street Infant School	...	,, Nov.	12	,,	Nov.	26
Lea Street Infant School	...	,, Nov.	12	,,	Nov.	26
Mill Lane Infant School	...	,, Nov.	12	,,	Nov.	26
Hume Street Infant School	...	,, Nov.	12	,,	Nov.	26

During the year I have received and treated in the Borough Hospital 286 cases of scarlet fever and six cases of small pox. Of the scarlet fever cases, 193 belonged to the borough, 24 to Stourport, 60 to the Rural Sanitary Authority, and nine to the Workhouse. **Borough Hospital**

At one period of the year our accommodation was greatly strained and the nurses much overworked, but they cheerfully accommodated themselves to the circumstances.

During the year the dry earth system of closets has been superseded by the water carriage system, and the engine and pumps laid down by the Borough Engineer for pumping

away from the Hospital all sewage and waste water do their work efficiently.

Slaughter-houses, Bake-houses, &c.

The Slaughterhouses, Bakehouses, Lodginghouses, Workshops, Milkshops, and Cowsheds have been regularly inspected, and on the whole found clean. One new lodging-house has been put on the register, and one has changed ownership.

Water Supply

Our water supply has continued to be satisfactory.

General Remarks

The tables appended to this report I hope will be found ample for placing before you the amount of sanitary work which has been carried on during the year.

The prosecutions found necessary to be taken before the magistrates this year have been less, and your analyst has returned a higher proportion of certificates marked "Genuine" in comparison with other years.

Allow me again, at the end of another year, to thank the Chairman and Members of the Health Committee for the support they have given me in the carrying out of my duties. I am pleased to say that on the whole things have worked very smoothly.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

DAVID CORBET,

Medical Officer of Health.

To the Chairman of the Health Committee,
Mr. Councillor J. Ray.

TABLE III.

TABLE OF DEATHS

DURING THE YEAR 1894, CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO DISEASES, AGES, AND LOCALITIES.

	Mortality from all Causes at Subjoined Ages.								Mortality from subjoined causes, distinguishing Deaths of Children under Five Years of Age.																			
									1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22
													Fevers																	
	At all Ages.	Under 1 Year.	1 and under 5	5 and under 15	15 and under 25	25 and under 65	65 and upwards		Small Pox	Scarlatina	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Typhus	Enteric or Typhoid	Continued	Relapsing	Puerperal	Cholera	Erysipelas	Measles	Whooping Cough	Diarrhœa and Dysentry	Rheumatic Fever	Ague	Phthisis	Bronchitis Pneumonia and Pleurisy	Heart Disease	Injuries	All other Diseases	TOTAL.
Borough ...	305	72	29	11	14	93	86	Under 5		1	2	1								14		2				15		1	65	101
								5 upwds			2			1					1	1		2	1		16	44	23	1	112	204
Workhouse..	51	4			3	16	28	Under 5																					4	4
								5 upwds											2						5	9	5		26	47
Infirmary ...	35	2	3	4	3	21	2	Under 5				3																1	1	5
								5 upwds											1						1	2	6	3	17	30
Totals ...	391	78	32	15	20	130	116	Under 5		1	2	4								14		2				15		2	70	110
								5 upwds			2			1					4	1		2	1		22	55	34	4	155	281

TABLE IV.

TABLE OF POPULATION, BIRTHS, AND OF NEW CASES OF INFECTIOUS SICKNESS.

	Population at all Ages.		Registered Births.	Aged under 5 or over 5	New Cases of Sickness in each Locality, coming to the Knowledge of the Medical Officer of Health.													Number of such Cases Removed from their Homes in the several Localities for Treatment in Isolation Hospital.												
					1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Census 1891.	Estimated to middle of 1894.			Small Pox	Scarlatina	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Fevers. Typhus	Fevers. Enteric or Typhoid	Fevers. Continued	Fevers. Relapsing	Fevers. Puerperal	Cholera	Erysipelas	Measles		Small Pox	Scarlatina	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Fevers. Typhus	Fevers. Enteric or Typhoid	Fevers. Continued	Fevers. Relapsing	Fevers. Puerperal	Cholera	Erysipelas		
Borough ...	24,803	25,000	641	Under 5		118	5	2							4	644			59											
				5 upwds	6	188	20			7					44	228		6	131											
Workhouse ...				Under 5		2										2			2											
				5 upwds		7				1					9	4			7											
Infirmary ..				Under 5			1	3																						
				5 upwds		3									4				3											
Totals ...	24,803	25,000	641	Under 5		120	6	5							4	646			61											
				5 upwds	6	198	20			8					57	232		6	141											

MONTHLY RETURN OF BIRTHS AND DEATHS.

For the Borough of Kidderminster, as presented to the Health Committee at each Meeting, held every fourth Tuesday.

BIRTHS					DEATHS				
Month ending.	Males.	Females.	Total	Rate per 1000 of the Population.	Month ending	Males.	Females.	Total	Rate per 1000 of the Population.
1894					1894				
Jan. 2	27	25	52	27·04	Jan. 2	12	14	26	13·52
,, 30	33	31	64	33·28	,, 30	27	19	46	23·92
Feb. 27	23	22	45	23· 4	Feb. 27	13	16	29	15·08
Mar. 27	13	24	37	19·24	Mar. 27	15	22	37	19·24
April 24	24	18	42	21·84	April 24	13	20	33	17·16
May 22	20	25	45	23· 4	May 22	10	13	23	11·96
Jnne 19	23	30	53	27·56	June 19	5	12	17	8·84
July 17	36	22	58	28·16	July 17	9	8	17	8·84
Aug. 14	32	25	57	29·64	Aug. 14	7	12	19	9·80
Sept. 11	27	20	47	24·44	Sept. 11	20	11	31	16·06
Oct. 9	20	25	45	23· 4	Oct. 9	16	13	29	15·08
Nov. 6	28	16	44	22·88	Nov. 6	25	16	41	21·32
Dec. 4	24	17	41	21·32	Dec. 4	17	17	34	17·68
Totals ...	330	300	630	25·04	Totals ...	189	193	382	15·26

MORTALITY.

Comparative Table of 28 Great Towns in England and Wales.

Name of Town.	1893. Deaths per 1000	1893. Principal Zymotic Diseases.	1894. Deaths per 1000	1894. Principal Zymotic Diseases.
Birkenhead	20·5	2 84		
Birmingham	22·0	3·04		
Bolton	24·1	4·65		
Blackburn...	23·3	4·08		
Bradford	21·0	3 43		
Brighton	18·4	1·85		
Bristol	18·9	1·65		
Cardiff	19 7	3·30		
Derby	18·2	2·07		
Halifax	17·4	1·71		
Huddersfield	17·2	1 24		
Hull	21·8	4·14		
Kidderminster... ...	**17·24**	**1·52**	**15·64**	**1·0**
Leeds	22·3	3·47		
Leicester	20·0	3·95		
Liverpool	27·3	3·90		
London	21·3	3·08		
Manchester	24·9	3·72		
Newcastle-on-Tyne ...	21·0	2·55		
Norwich	19·3	3·05		
Nottingham	18·5	2·62		
Oldham	21·0	2·48		
Plymouth	21·2	2·77		
Portsmouth	18·2	2·81		
Preston	26·4	6·01		
Salford	24·1	4·14		
Sheffield	22·3	3·52		
Sunderland	22 5	3·36		
Wolverhampton	23·3	2·84		

NOTE.—Returns for other Towns for 1894, not out until March, 1895.

Return of Vaccination in No. 1 District, Kidderminster Union, from July, 1893, to June, 1894, supplied to Medical Officer of Health for Kidderminster Borough.

	No. of Births.	No. Vaccinated.	Dead Unvaccinated	Insusceptible of Vaccination.	Postponed	Removed followed by notice	Not found	Objectors
July 1893 to June 1894	746	638	66	12	10	5	13	2

12th January, 1895.

THOMAS WALLIS,

Vaccination Officer.

INFECTIOUS DISEASES.

MONTHLY NOTIFICATIONS.

1894	Jan.	Feb.	March	April	May	June	July	Aug.	Sep.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	Total. 1894.	Total. 1893.	Total. 1892.	Total. 1891.
Small Pox ...	...	...	..	3	...	1	...	1	...	1	..	...	6	13	..	...
Cholera ...	...	...	.	...	...	...	.	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Diphtheria ...	..	2	3	3	2	4	...	..	3	4	2	3	26	33	71	49
Membranous Croup.	2	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	1	5	...	9	14
Erysipelas ...	10	4	3	8	5	2	6	7	2	6	6	2	61	46	48	39
Scarlet Fever ...	19	25	13	40	22	19	37	46	27	30	25	15	318	206	75	14
Typhus Fever ...	...	...	..	..	...	...	.	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...
Typhoid Fever ..	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	...	2	1	8	9	22	17
Puerperal Fever ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	..	..	...	...	..	...	2	...	3
Measles ...	2	2	...	...	2	7	3	5	64	371	288	134	878	89	557	114
Totals ...	33	34	20	55	31	33	46	60	99	412	323	156	1302	398	782	250

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S REPORT.

SANITARY INSPECTOR'S ANNUAL REPORT

For the Year 1894.

Bakehouses.

Number under inspection 51

The Bakehouses have been regularly inspected and limewashed twice during the year.

Dairies, Cow Sheds and Milk Shops.

Number of persons registered for the sale of milk ... 67
,, ,, ,, as cow keepers ... 18

They have been regularly inspected, and on the whole found clean.

Slaughterhouses.

Number of applications for registration 0
Slaughterhouses now on register 27

Annual licenses have been issued in three instances, as required by the Public Health Act Amendment Act.

The slaughterhouses are constantly being visited. Limewashing, the removal of offal and manure, has been regularly attended to.

Common Lodging Houses.

Number under inspection 7
Number of lodgers which can be accommodated ... 182

During the year the houses have been well conducted and kept clean.

One new house has been put on the register, viz., 36, Dudley Street, to accommodate 22 lodgers, and one house has changed ownership.

Inspection and Registration af Canal Boats.

Number of boats inspected 244
,, complying with the Law and Local Government Board Regulations 235
Cases of non-compliance with ditto 9
New registrations 7
Certificates renewed 2
Total number of boats now on register 215

One boat has been taken off the register by order of H.M. Inspector.

Disinfection.

Disinfection has been carried out as usual in all cases of infectious disease, and the infected houses cleansed.

Reports to Surveyor's Department.

Water leakages	76
Structural and dangerous defects	19
Miscellaneous	33
	128

Food Inspection.

The following have been condemned and destroyed as unfit for human consumption :—Cheese, 840lbs ; fish, 13lbs. ; fruit, 14lbs. ; pork, 200lbs. ; total weight, 1,067lbs. One dead sheep and one live sheep have been seized from out of the Cattle Market and destroyed.

The Contagious Diseases (Animals) Acts and Orders from the Board of Agriculture.

I have issued licenses for the removal of 920 pigs, and endorsed licenses for the removal of 80 others.

Privy and Ashpit Cleansing.

Night Work—Privies and middens cleansed ...	1243
Day Work—Dry ashpits cleansed	3602
Day Work—Portable receptacles cleansed	33844
Total	38689
Night Work—Loads of ashes and excreta	1590
Night Work—Loads of liquid matter	9
Day Work—Loads of ashes and refuse	5979
Day Work—Loads of business refuse	36
Total	7614

Refuse Disposal.

Number of boat loads of refuse taken to the Corporation Farm	224
Quantity in tons	5727

The health of the horses during the year has been exceptionally good ; the cost for veterinary services being only £1 5s. 6d., last year the amount was £2 11s. 0d.

On March 13, 1894, your Committee purchased a horse from the Farm Committee for £45 ; for the worn-out horse the Farm Committee allowed us the sum of £10.

Total amount of cash collected and paid to the Borough Treasurer during the year, £1443 9s. 3d.

Other details of my work are tabufated on the accompanying tables.

I am, Mr. Chairman and Gentlemen,

Your obedient Servant,

JOHN T. COWDEROY,

Sanitary Inspector.

To the Chairman of the Health Committee,
Mr. Councillor J. Ray.

SANITARY DEFECTS AND NUISANCES

FOUND AND REPORTED DURING THE YEAR.

Nature of Nuisances.	Totals
Ashpits and Privies out of repair	56
Stoppages in Drain Pipes	91
Drains imperfectly trapped and out of repair ...	73
Water Closets out of repair	30
Overcrowding in dwelling-houses	12
Offensive accumulation	15
Washhouse Sinks out of repair	33
Washhouse Roofs out of repair	3
Dwelling-houses require Whitewashing ...	144
Premises require Limewashing	42
Defective Rain-water Spouting	18
Defective Yard and Wash-house Paving ...	16
Poultry kept as a Nuisance	8
Dwelling-house Roofs out of repair	17
Pigs kept as a Nuisance	8
Sink Drains in direct connection with the Sewer	6
Nuisances from Smoke	2
Flushing cisterns out of repair	49
Dwelling-houses require whitewashing after Infectious Disease	51
Dwelling-houses unfit for human habitation ...	2
Dwelling-houses kept in a dirty condition ...	7
Rain-water cistern requiring cleansing ...	1
Dry-ash receptacles required	3
Workshops require lime-washing	14
Insufficient closet accommodation	3
Total	704

Number of Sanitary Defects and Nuisances found and reported upon	704
Notices served for their abatement	456
Notices complied with	436
Now on the Books ...	20
Nuisances abated without the serving of Notices ...	56

SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACTS, 1875 & 1879.

SAMPLES TAKEN DURING THE YEAR AND RESULTS.

No. of Sample	Article.	Genuine	Adulterated	Extent of Adulteration (if any)	Results.
345 to 353	Milk	9		Genuine	
354 to 356	Prescriptions	3		Genuine	
357	Ginger	1		Genuine	
358	Prescription		1	75 % short of its proper alkaloidal contents	Cautioned by Committee
359 and 360	Milk	2		Genuine	
361	Skimmed milk	1		Genuine	
362 to 366	Milk	5		Genuine	
367	Skimmed milk	1		Genuine	
368 and 369	Lard	2		Genuine	
370	Peppermint lozenges	1		Genuine	
371	Butter	1		Genuine	
372	Ground ginger	1		Genuine	
373	Milk	1		Genuine	

SALE OF FOOD AND DRUGS ACTS, 1875 & 1879.

Table continued.

SAMPLES TAKEN DURING THE YEAR AND RESULTS.

No. of Sample	Article	Genuine	Adulterated	Extent of Adulteration (if any)	Results
374 to 376	Butter	3		Genuine	
377	Butter		1	Failing to label margarine	Cautioned by Committee
378 to 381	Butter	4		Genuine	
1 to 9	Milk	9		Genuine	

SUMMARY.

Milk ...	...	...	28 Samples
Butter	...	...	9 do.
Lard ...	...	...	2 do.
Ground Ginger	...	...	2 do.
Prescriptions	...	...	4 do.
Peppermint Lozenges		...	1 do.
Total		...	46

MAGISTERIAL PROCEEDINGS

No.	Nature of Offence.	Results.	Total Costs
1	Failing to notify forthwith to the Medical Officer of Health, a case of Small Pox	Case withdrawn	
2	Failing to notify forthwith to the Medical Officer of Health, a case of Small Pox	Case withdrawn	
3	Application for Closing Order, under the Housing of the Working Classes Act	Order made, and defendant to pay Costs, 10s. 6d.	£0 10s. 6d.
4	Application for Closing Order, under the Housing of the Working Classes Act	Order made, and defendant to pay Costs, £1 18s. 6d.	£1 18s. 6d.
5	Selling for New, Milk which had been deprived of 42 per cent. of its cream	Dismissed	

REMOVALS, &c., TO HOSPITAL.

	1890	1891	1892	1893	1894
No. of Borough cases ...	64	20	41	160	199
No. of cases from the district of the Rural Sanitary Authority ...	15	1	11	45	60
No. of cases from the district of the Stourport Local Board ...	...	...	...	15	24
No. of Borough cases admitted free ...	61	16	21	151	199
No. of Borough cases who paid for their maintenance ...	3	4	4	9	0
No. of cases removed from the Workhouse ..	..	...	6	3	9
Average No. of weeks each Patient remained in the Hospital ..	7	4·4	4·4	6	6·75
Amount received from Rural Sanitary Authority for maintenance of Patients	£76 1 3	...	£30 18 7	£477 0 0	£854 12 6
Amount received from Stourport Local Board for maintenance of Patients	..	...	..	£139 10 0	£368 8 0
Amount received from Guardians of the Poor for maintenance of Patients	...	£1 7 10	£30 4 3	£130 4 0	£182 0 6
Amount received from Borough Patients ...	£10 5 8	£8 19 8	£7 2 9	£28 3 6	...
Amount received for private Foreign cases ..	...	£5 2 10	..	£10 10 0	...

METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS,

For Year ending December 31st, 1894.

FROM OBSERVATIONS TAKEN AT 9 A.M., DAILY.

METEOROLOGICAL STATION, PROSPECT HILL.

HEIGHT ABOVE SEA LEVEL, 161 FEET.

Month	Barometer	Temperature.			Humidity	Wind	
1894.	Mean	Mean Max.	Mean Min.	Mean	Average humidity	Total Miles	Prevailing direction at 9 a.m.
January...	29·70	43·5	33·4	38·2	86	5817	W., S.W. S.E.
February	29·86	48·3	35·7	41·6	82	5259	W., S.
March ..	29·79	54·2	36·0	4·41	77	4025	W., N., S.E.
April ...	29·69	61·0	41·8	49·9	77	3208	S , N.,
May ...	29·74	56·9	41·2	48·6	83	4168	N., N.E.
June ...	29·83	65·7	52·7	55·7	72	3653	S.W., N.W., N.E.
July ..	29·69	69·7	53·3	59·6	72	3655	W. S.W.
August ...	29·74	65·5	52·1	57·1	79	3659	S.W., N.W.
September	30·05	60·6	46.8	52·3	83	1988	N., N.E.
October ...	29·82	55·9	43·3	48·5	89	2621	N., N.E.
November	29·84	51·9	42·7	46·1	90	3817	S., S.W.
December	29·91	46·4	36·3	40·9	84	4662	S.W , N.W.

The highest temperature occurred on July 1st, 1894 ... ... 84·1

The lowest temperature occurred on January 6th, 1894 ... 9·6

J. T. Cowderoy.

RAINFALL.

For the Year ending December 31st, 1894.

RAIN GUAGE—HEIGHT OF TOP ABOVE GROUND 1 FOOT.

Month.	Total Depth.	Greatest Rainfall in 24 hours.		Number of Days on which ·01 or more Rain fell.
1894.	Inches.	Depth	Date	
January ...	1·45	·25	17	20
February ...	1·76	·85	17	12
March ...	·83	·29	13	11
April ...	1·00	·24	25	12
May ...	2·54	·42	11	18
June ...	2·16	1·11	4	11
July ...	2·71	·69	21	13
August ...	3·05	1·27	25	19
September ...	1·50	·77	25	13
October ...	2·94	·68	26	17
November ...	2·67	1·27	12	16
December ...	1·35	·26	14	17
Total ...	23·96			179

Total Rainfall,	1890	... ...	20·02
,, ,,	1891	... ...	21·84
,, ,,	1892	... ...	27·43
,, ,,	1893	... ...	18·30
,, ,,	1894	... ...	23·96

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STREET LIST OF KNOWN CASES OF INFECTIOUS DISEASE.

Streets.	Small Pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever
Ward No. 1.								
Back Queen Street ...		10	1				1	
Broad Street .		29	7		1	1	1	
Canal Side ...		2	1					
Churchfields ...		8	2				1	
Clensmore ...		31	4		1			
Dudley Street (Nos. 1 to 43)		7	4					
Duke Street		3					1	
Hall Street (Nos. 1 to 18)		5						
Horsefair (Nos. 1 to 19)		6						
Jerusalem Walk		1						
Lark Hill		16						
Mount Pleasant		2	2					
Paradise Row	1	4	2					
Pleasant Street		13					1	
Queen Street		10	3					
Rackfields		14	3					
Stourbridge St (Nos. 1 to 35)		6	1		1			
Stourbridge Road		8		1				
York Street		7		1				
	1	182	30	2	3	1	5	0
Ward No. 2.								
Arch Hill ...			1					
Baxter Street ...		6	4					
Baxter Street Extension ...		2	1					
Blackwell Street ...	1	14	7					
Chester Road (Nos 71 to 89)		3	2					
Church Street (Nos 1 to 37)		2	1					
Comberton Rd (Nos 1 to 23)		1					1	
Coventry Street (Nos 1 to Land Oak) ...		13	4		1		1	
Dudley Street (Nos 44 to 84)		9	1				1	
Hall Street (Nos 25 to 35)		1	5					
Horsefair (Nos 21 to 25) ...		2						
Hurcott Road ...		5	4					
Hurcott Street ...		10			1			
Long Acre ...		10						
Orchard Street ...		7						
Radford Avenue ...		7	6					
Roden Avenue ...		1	1					
Shrubbery Street ...		13	6					
Silver Street ...			1					

STREET LIST—Continued.

Streets.	Small Pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever
Stourbridge St(Nos 37 to 73)		11	1	1	2			
Union Street ...		1						
Waterloo Street ...		4	1				1	
	1	122	46	1	4	0	4	0
Ward No. 3.								
Boulters Lane ...		17	3					
Cherry Orchard ...		3					1	
Chester Road (Nos 1 to 72)		11	7		1		1	
CombertonRd(Nos 24 to 50)		7	3					
Coventry St (Nos 40 to 64)		1	1		1		1	
East Street		12	1					
Findon Street ...		5	2					
George Street (Nos 1 to 40)		5	4		1		1	
Lea Street ...		20	3	1	1		2	
Leswell Lane ...		7	2				1	
Leswell Street ...							1	
Linden Avenue ..		2						
Lorne Street ...		20	7					
Offmore Road ..		24	7				3	
St. George's Terrace ...		1	2		1			
Villers Street ...		2	1					
Yew Tree Road ..		9	4		1			
	0	146	47	1	6	0	11	0
Ward No. 4.								
Anchor Fields ...		8	1		1		1	
Bridge Street ...		1						
Bromsgrove Street ...	2	23	4				2	
Comberton Hill ...		3	6					
Coventry St (Nos 65 to 100)			2				2	
Cross Street ...		1					1	
Fair Street ...		3						
Farfield ...		9	6			1	1	
George Street (Nos 41 to 99)		6	2				1	
High Street ...					1			
Hoo Road ...		34	1		1		2	
Lion Street ...		6						
Lion Square ...		5						
Marlborough Street ..		1						
New Road ...		15	5				1	
Oxford Road ...		1						
Prospect Lane ...		5	3					

STREET LIST—Continued.

Streets.	Small Pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever
Prospect Hill ...		4					1	
South Street ...		5	7					
Vicar Street ..		1					1	
Worcester Street ..		16	2					
	2	147	39	0	3	1	13	0
Ward No. 5.								
Bewdley St. (Nos. 1 to 59)		16	5		1		1	
Brussell Street ...		5						
Cemetery Street ..		2						
Chapel Street ...		20	5	1			1	
Cobden Street ...		7	1					
Crescent Road .		5	4					
Hill Street ...		5	5		1			
New Wood Street ...		7	2					
Park Lane (Nos. 20 to 63)	1	5	8				1	
Park Street ...		21	19	1			3	
Peel Street ...		14	12					
Plimsoll Street ...		4						
Rock Terrace ...		13	2					
Woodfield Crescent ...		4	1		1			
Wood Street ...		34	8				1	
	1	162	72	2	3	0	7	0
Ward No. 6.								
Bennett Street ...		3					1	
Bewdley Hill ...		1	5					
Bewdley St (Nos 60 to 95)		7	2		1			
Blakebrook ...			5		1			
Crane Street ..			5					
Crowther Street ...		8	1	1				
Franchise Street ...	1	3	9					
Habberley Road ...		2						
Hume Street ...		2	3				1	
The Infirmary ...			3		1	3	4	
Mason Street ...			1		1			
Mill Lane ...		9	1					
Mill Street ...		20	14		2			
Park Lane (Nos 1 to 8) ...		1						
Paternoster Row ...		2						
Pitts Row ...		1						
Pitts Lane ...		1						
St. John Street ...		15	3				1	

STREET LIST—Continued.

Streets.	Smal Pox	Measles	Scarlet Fever	Typhoid Fever	Diphtheria	Membranous Croup	Erysipelas	Puerperal Fever
Sutton Road ...		17	16				2	
Talbot Street ...			1					
Workhouse ...		6	9	1			9	
Washington Row ...		5	4				1	
Woodfield Street ...		16	2		1		2	
	1	119	84	2	7	3	21	0

SUMMARY.

Ward No. 1 ...	1	182	30	2	3	1	5	
Ward No. 2 ...	1	122	46	1	4		4	
Ward No. 3 ...		146	47	1	6		11	
Ward No. 4 ..	2	147	39		3	1	13	
Ward No. 5 ...	1	162	72	2	3		7	
Ward No. 6 ...	1	119	84	2	7	3	21	
	6	878	318	8	26	5	61	0